

Eligibility Determination (Hearing Impairment) - Code F

Student Name: _____ Grade: _____ Date: _____ D.O.B.: _____

Definition – Hearing Impairment means impairment in hearing whether permanent or fluctuating, that adversely affects a child's educational performance but that is not included under the definition of deafness.

COMPLETE FOR STUDENTS SUSPECTED OF HAVING A ELIGIBILITY OF HEARING IMPAIRMENT

STEP 1 - INCLUSIONARY CRITERIA

- Yes No The student has a documented permanent or fluctuating hearing impairment (with or without amplification) or deafness.
- Yes No Hearing loss in both ears
- Yes No Hearing loss in right ear
- Yes No Hearing loss in left ear
- Yes No Fluctuating conductive loss

Evidence and Degree of Hearing Impairment

If the above criteria are marked "yes", proceed to Step 2.

STEP 2 - DECISION PROCESS

ALL THREE QUESTIONS MUST BE ANSWERED YES TO SUPPORT THE TEAM'S ELIGIBILITY DECISION

1. Has the information been obtained from multiple sources? Yes No
2. Has the criteria been supported by appropriate measures of assessment? Yes No
3. Has the criteria been substantiated by the majority of data? Yes No
- The student meets the criteria for Hearing Impairment?** Yes No

Meeting criteria for a disability category does not confer special education eligibility. To determine eligibility for special education the team must consider adverse affects and educational needs and complete Eligibility Determination Form.